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Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Group Art Unit 2623, Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: S. Ahmed
YOICHI TAKARAGI)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2623
Application No.: 09/239,013)	
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Filed: January 29, 1999)	
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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD)	
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Commissioner for Patents
Box AF
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2001, a timely Notice of Appeal from which was filed on March 11, 2002, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a), Applicant submits the following remarks.